## PCT

(30) Priority Data:

19983729





## INTERNATIONAL APPLICATION PUBLISHED UNDER THE PATENT COOPERATION TREATY (PCT)

(51) International Patent Classification 6:

A01N 37/02, 31/02, A23K 3/03, A23B
4/12, A23L 3/3517

(11) International Publication Number: WO 00/08929

(43) International Publication Date: 24 February 2000 (24.02.00)

NO

(21) International Application Number: PCT/NO99/00244 (8)
(22) International Filing Date: 28 July 1999 (28.07.99)

14 August 1998 (14.08.98)

22) International Filing Date. 26 July 1999 (26.07.9.

(71) Applicant (for all designated States except US): NORSK HYDRO ASA [NO/NO]; N-0240 Oslo (NO).

(72) Inventors; and
(75) Inventors/Applicants (for US only); SELMER-OLSEN, Ingvar
[NO/NO]; Sørliv. 27, N-1473 Skårer (NO), HJØRNEVIK,
Leif (NO/NO); St. Hansg. 3, N-3714 Skien (NO).
JOHNSEN, Freddy [NO/NO]; Grenseveien 28, N-1927
Rånåsfoss (NO).

(74) Agent: SUNDNES, Ame; Norsk Hydro ASA, N-0240 Oslo (NO).

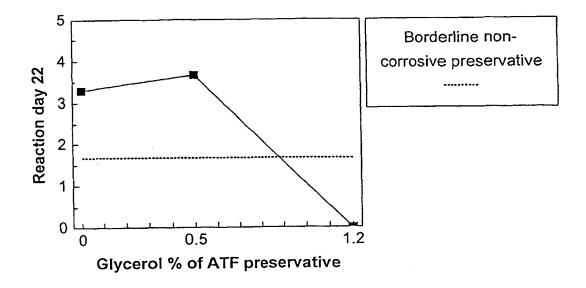
(81) Designated States: AE, AL, AM, AT, AU, AZ, BA, BB, BG, BR, BY, CA, CH, CN, CU, CZ, DE, DK, EE, ES, FI, GB, GD, GE, GH, GM, HR, HU, ID, IL, IN, IS, JP, KE, KG, KP, KR, KZ, LC, LK, LR, LS, LT, LU, LV, MD, MG, MK, MN, MW, MX, NO, NZ, PL, PT, RO, RU, SD, SE, SG, SI, SK, SL, TJ, TM, TR, TT, UA, UG, US, UZ, VN, YU, ZA, ZW, ARIPO patent (GH, GM, KE, LS, MW, SD, SL, SZ, UG, ZW), Eurasian patent (AM, AZ, BY, KG, KZ, MD, RU, TJ, TM), European patent (AT, BE, CH, CY, DE, DK, ES, FI, FR, GB, GR, IE, IT, LU, MC, NL, PT, SE), OAPI patent (BF, BJ, CF, CG, CI, CM, GA, GN, GW, ML, MR, NE, SN, TD, TG).

## Published

With international search report.

Before the expiration of the time limit for amending the claims and to be republished in the event of the receipt of amendments.

(54) Title: AQUEOUS PRESERVATIVE (



## (57) Abstract

The present invention relates to aqueous preservatives, containing ammonium tetraformate or any other combination of formic acid and ammonia, for grass and other agricultural crops, fish and fish products and meat products, having reduced corrosiveness and irritation to skin, comprising 0.5-5 weight% glycerol. Preferably the content of glycerol in the preservative is 0.75-1.5 weight%. The preservative may further contain at least one metal corrosion inhibitor and/or antioxidant.